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## **Amendments to the Claims:**

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

## **Listing of Claims**:

- 1-97. (Cancelled)
- 98. (Cancelled)
- 99. (Cancelled)
- 100. (Cancelled)
- 101. (Cancelled)
- 102. (New) A transmitting apparatus comprising:

a transmitting unit operable to transmit transmission format information to a receiving apparatus;

wherein said transmission format information includes an identifier and starting time information, said identifier identifying a program or data to be used by said receiving apparatus, said starting time information indicating a starting time for processing of said program or said data in said receiving apparatus, and

said receiving apparatus automatically activates said program or said data based on said identifier and said starting time information.

(New) The transmitting apparatus according to claim 102, 103.

wherein said starting time information includes at least one of a flag, a counter, and a timer.

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104. (New) The transmitting apparatus according to claim 102,

wherein said receiving apparatus automatically activates said program or said data free of manually entered information.

105. (New) A transmitting apparatus comprising:

a transmitting unit operable to transmit transmission format information to a receiving apparatus;

wherein said transmission format information includes an identifier and processing term information, said identifier identifying a program or data to be used by said receiving apparatus, said processing term information indicating a term for processing of said program or said data in said receiving apparatus, and

said receiving apparatus automatically activates said program or said data based on said identifier and said processing term information.

(New) The transmitting apparatus according to claim 105, 106.

wherein said receiving apparatus automatically activates said program or said data free of manually entered information.

(New) The transmitting apparatus according to claim 105, 107.

wherein said processing term information includes at least one of a flag, a counter, and a timer.

(New) A receiving apparatus comprising: 108.

receiving means for receiving transmission format information; and

control means for determining said transmission format information and activating a program or data,

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wherein said transmission format information includes an identifier and starting time information, said identifier identifying said program or said data to be used by said receiving apparatus, said starting time information indicating a starting time for processing of said program or said data in said receiving apparatus, and

said control means automatically activates said program or said data based on said identifier and said starting time information.

109. (New) The receiving apparatus according to claim 108,

wherein said starting time information includes at least one of a flag, a counter, and a timer.

(New) The receiving apparatus according to claim 108, 110.

wherein said control means automatically activates said program or said data free of manually entered information.

111. (New) A receiving apparatus comprising:

receiving means for receiving transmission format information; and

control means for determining said transmission format information and activating a program or data,

wherein said transmission format information includes an identifier and processing term information, said identifier identifying said program or said data to be used by said receiving apparatus, said processing term information indicating a term for processing of said program or said data in said receiving apparatus, and

said control means automatically activates said program or said data based on said identifier and said processing term information.

112. (New) The receiving apparatus according to claim 111, Application No.: 10/626,271

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wherein said processing term information includes at least one of a flag, a counter, and a timer.  $\dot{}$ 

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113. (New) The receiving apparatus according to claim 111,

wherein said control means automatically activates said program or said data free of manually entered information.